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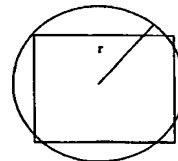
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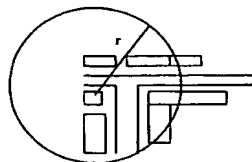
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(57) Abstract: The invention relates to a device and method for generating an alert signal based on the geographical position of the device, optionally also based on time or date. The alert signal is generated when the device is within a certain distance from a predefined location taking into account the fact that certain tasks or actions can only be taken when the user is at this location. Thus, the invention provides a device for generating an alert signal comprising: positioning means for updating and storing an actual position of the device; location storage means for storing the location of a place of interest; means for storing a request for an alert signal associated with the location of a place of interest; and trigger means for comparing the actual position of the device with the location of a place of interest and triggering generation of said alert signal when the distance between the actual position of the device and the location of a place of interest is less than a predetermined value. The device is suitably a mobile telephone.



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